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Office of the White House Press Secretary

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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President today announced his intention to nominate Mark W. Buyck, Jr. of South Carolina, to be United States Attorney for the District of South Carolina for a term of four years. He will succeed John K. Grisso whose term has expired.

Since 1962, Mr. Buyck has been engaged in the practice of law with the firm of Willcox, Hardee, Palmer, O'Farrell, McLeod and Buyck in Florence, South Carolina.

Mr. Buyck resides in Florence, South Carolina.

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The President today announced his intention to nominate Lawrence J. Semenza, of Nevada, to be United States Attorney for the District of Nevada for a term of four years. He will succeed V. DeVoe Heaton who has resigned.

Mr. Semenza was appointed by the Court as United States Attorney for the District of Nevada in January 1975. From 1970 to 1975 he was Assistant United States Attorney for the District of Nevada.

Mr. Semenza resides in Reno, Nevada.

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The President today announced his intention to nominate Robert O'Connor, Jr. of Texas, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas. He will succeed Ben C. Connally who has retired.

Since 1964, Mr. O'Connor has been associated with Nat B. King of Laredo, Texas in the practice of law.

Mr. O'Connor resides in Laredo, Texas.

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The President today announced his intention to nominate Dick Yin Wong, of Hawaii, to be United States District Judge for the District of Hawaii. He will succeed Martin Pence who has retired.

Since 1973, Mr. Wong has been with the firm of Hong, Wong and Iwai in Honolulu. From 1968 to 1973, he served as First Circuit Court Judge.

Mr. Wong resides in Honolulu, Hawaii.

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The President today announced the designation of Kevin T. Maroney, of Maryland, as Chairman of the Interdepartmental Committee on Internal Security for the Department of Justice. He will succeed Robert T. Mardian who has resigned.

Mr. Maroney has been Deputy Assistant Attorney General since 1969. He has been with the Justice Department since 1946.

Mr. Maroney resides in Silver Spring, Maryland.

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